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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Please add the following claim:

20. A method of accessing instant messaging on a data network at a telephone comprising:

identifying a telephone user as a subscriber, a telephone number at which they can received messages, and a period of time for which they can receive messages at this number.

establishing the subscriber's presence and ability to receive instant messages, on the data network during the specified time period;

presenting to the subscriber a subset of a predetermined user list, the subset representing users logged onto a data network, wherein the presenting includes:

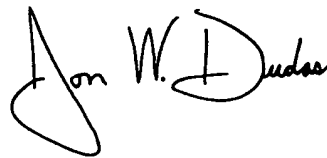
determining whether the telephone user is logged onto the data network by determining if the telephone subscriber is a personal communications subscriber and if the user is, maintaining a presence in the data network for the telephone user for receiving and forwarding instant messages to the telephone user and,

if the telephone user is not logged onto the data network, then presenting the user list; and

responsive to the subscriber selecting a particular user from the subset of the predetermined user list, sending a message from the subscriber to the selected data network user using an instant messaging protocol.

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